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GOOD PROGRAM AT CONVENTION

Sunday School Workers Hold Interesting Sessions At M. E. Church

REV. COOK MAKES ADDRESS

The gospel of good-fellowship in church work, and the need of intelligent Sunday school work being carried on were matters urged generally by Rev. Walter Scott Cook of Wilkinsburg in his address to Sunday school workers of the first Washington county district at the annual district convention in the First Methodist Episcopal church Friday evening. Rev. Cook was the chief speaker of the convention, his address on the theme of "Twice Born I Have Known" being a recital of actual experiences he had in a former pastorate in Ohio, where in his church through the efforts of laymen a men's class had grown from a mere 10 or 20 to 1,200 in membership.

Rev. Cook told of the discouragements experienced when the famous Ohio class was started. He explained the reason for the growth as being the unitedness and the spiritual-mindedness, and everlasting plugging of those engaged in the organization. He told a number of stories of what the class had done for different individuals in the way of saving them from utter degradation.

One of the most important features of the evening session was the election and installation of officers. Practically the entire corps was relected. W. S. James conducted the installation. The following officers were elected and installed: President, Dr. J. W. Manon; vice president, A. G. Lewis; secretary, Miss Leila Orange; division superintendent, elementary department, Mrs. Frank Welch; secondary division, Dr. F. C. Stahlman; organized adult Bible class, William C. McFall; teacher training, Rev. John R. Burson; missionary department, Rev. J. E. Charles, Ph. D; foreign department, Miss Ruby Charles; home department, Mrs. D. F. Worthington; temperance department, D. N. Hall; press representative Harry E. Price.

The evening service was ordinarily well attended. Rev. W. G. Carl conducted the devotional exercises. Under direction of A. H. Bosson the choir rendered an opening anthem and an anthem after the address. A duet was well sung by Miss Mary Glunt, soprano and Earl Nicholson, tenor. Miss Gladys Weller was the organist.

With a single exception the afternoon program was carried out. This was in the greeting, Dr. J. W. Manon speaking for the vice president of the district, A. G. Lewis. Miss Amy Porter of Scottdale: Lloyd O. Hart, of Washington and Mrs. Mary L. Stewart of Washington made addresses.

In the evening a plan of financing the county organization was proposed by Lloyd O. Hart. He found that $2,000 a year should run the county association and in the apportionment of expenses stated that the Charleroi district ought to pay into the county treasury $200 of the total amount.

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HIGH SCHOOL SOCIETY HOLDS FRIDAY MEETING

Atheneums Present Interesting Program at Auditorium—Debate on School Question.

The Atheneum society of high presented the following entertaining probram at their meeting Friday afternoon in the high school auditorium:

Reading, "Her Letter," Marie Ewing; essay, "The First Inaugural Ball," Martha Watson; reading, "That Old Sweetheart of Mine," Anna Cocaine, with piano accompaniment; quotation class, Charles Krahmer, Pauline Latchem, Jennie Schmalbach, Ewing Ternavsky, James McKean; duet, Mary Province, Vexilla Brown, accompaniment, Felicie Bosson; periodical, Anna Robinson; debate—Resolved that term examinations should be abolished, affirmative Louis Fiedler, negative, John Pollock; music orchestra.

The affirmative won the debate The judges for the debate were K. H. Humphries, Miss Rosetta Rogers and Miss Margaret Laird. The critic Was E. C. Presho. The quotations given by the quotation class were James Whitcomb Riley selections.

FOOTBALL TEAM BANQUET HELD

Rupert Hepler, a star tackle with this year"s football squad was elected captain of the Charleroi high school team at a banquet tendered the team by the domestic science department of the schools at the high school gymnasium Friday night. Letters were awarded to the letter men of the team.

Those who were awarded the letter H for having participated in one of the letter games—Donora, Washington or Monessen—were as follows: Capt. C. Lowstuter, Hickey, Piersol, Ryland, Brown, Harrington, Hepler, Ritchey, Stahlman, L. Lowstuter, Miksch, Swickey, Rubenstein, Carson, Dolan and Kellog, C. Pollock of the squad was named as a last year's letter man.

The substitutes on the team were awarded the letter C for faithful services. In the list were Schmeiler, Paluso, Eagye, Goldsmit, Kibler, J. Pollock and Riva. One of the innovations of a custom that will probably be followed was in the awarding of the English letter H to the cheer leader and the manager. Ellsworth Hickey is the cheer leader and Edwin Booth the manager.

Dr. F. C. Stahlman of the athletic committee of the school board was the toasmaster and talks were made by Prof. T. L. Pollock, superintendent of the schools. H. J. Booth of the school board, Coach Joseph F. Gdaniec, Prof. S. R. Grimm, assistant coach, Capt C. Lowstuter, Donald Kellog, Ellsworth Hickey, James Ryland, Gordon Harrington and Carl Miksch.

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ELKS MOURNING THEIR DECEASED

Services to be Held at High School Auditorium Sunday Afternoon

NAME ADDED TO LONG LIST

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock the annual memorial services of Charleroi lodge No. 494, B. P. O. Elks will be held at the high school auditorium with Warden John Francies of Pittsburg as the speaker. The memorial services will be public and those invited include the Elks, their wives and families and friends. The eulogy of the deceased members will be delivered by Joe T. S. Cowen.

To the list of dead has been added another name since the memorial program was prepared, it being that of Albert I. Eckels. Others who died during the year closing were John Edwards, Frank N. Hoge, Fred S. Thompson and James H. Sheppard.

The music will be a feature of tomorrow's services. Walter T. Vaughn a tenor who is now studying in New York and who is rated among the highest, Miss Ethel Barth soprano and Warren Kinder, tenor, will be the soloists. Miss May Barth will be the accompanist.

The program will be as follows: Prelude selected, Miss May Barth; duet "The Lord is My Light" Dudley Buck, Miss Ethel Barth and Warren Kinder; invocation, Rev. John Lyons; solo, "Crossing the Bar" Willeby, Walter T. Vaughan; eulogy Joe T. S. Cowen; duet "Be Thou Exalted" Bruno Huhn, Miss Ethel Barth and Warren Kinder; address, John Francies; solo "How Long, O Lord, Wilt Thou Forget Me" Dudley Buck, (From "The Triumph of David") Walter T. Vaughan; benediction, Rev. A. J Whipkey; recessional selected, Miss May Barth.

MAJESTIC THEATRE

MONDAY

Gold Rooster Play "The Menace of the Mute" Arnold Daly, Sheldon Lewis. Louise Rutter and all star cast. 5 acts.

TUESDAY

"The Raven" Big Four production. Henry B. Walthall and Warda Howard. A romance by Edgar Allan Poe. Full orchestra, 6 acts.

WEDNESDAY

"The Lonesome Heart," Masterpiece Mararita Fischer. A pathetic, gripping human interest story, 4 acts. "Neal of the Navy." Lillian Lorraine and William Courtleigh, Jr.

THURSDAY

"The Nation's Peril." Earl Metcalfe and Ormi Hawley a Big Four production. Josphus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy and Admiral Fletcher. 6 big acts. Full orchestra.

FRIDAY

"A Daughter of the Sea." Muriel Ostriche 5 reels and "Diamond From the Sky," 2 reels.

SATURDAY

J. Rufus Wallingford in one of his new adventures. Also a big feature of the Majestic type. 146-t1

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FIVE HOMICIDES IN SHORT TIME

Latest One Occurs Friday At Atlasburg When Body Of Unknown is Found

MURDERS MANY IN NOVEMBER

With three bullet wounds in his back the body of an unknown Italian was found Friday on the road from Atlasburg near Burgettstown to Cherry Valley. The shooting of the man had taken place about three-quarters of a mile out of Atlasburg. The district attorney's office was notified of the crime. No particulars of the shooting or any facts that might give light on the crime could be given by those notifying District Attorney Miller. County Detective F. H. Mitchell was at once dispatched to the scene and will at once begin a rigid investigation. It is the second mysterious killing in that section within a few dayss.

Since the November term of criminal court at which seven homicide cases were disposed of and one continued, there have been five homicide cases in the county. Recently Nick Vrbrnik, a young man, was found dead on a vacant lot in the Huston plan, at Langeloth, also near Burgettstown. There was a bullet hole through his head, the ball having entered below the right ear and coming out at the forehead. At first thought to be a suicide, the district attorney says that it was a homicide.

On November 28, 1915, following a trivial quarrel, Donato Franciotto was shot and killed by his brother, Nicola Franciotto, at the power house of the Vesta Coal Co., at No. 5 mine in East Bethlehem township. The brother made his escape.

On November 15, John Gaitoe, an Italian, was shot and killed on the street at California by a man alleged to have been Louie Cample, an Italian. Cample fled, but was apprehended a few hours later.

On November 21, Ed. Lockhart, soldier shot and killed George Coates, on the street at Donora. Lockhart gave himself up and is now in jail.

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AWARDED DAMAGES FOR AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

Dr. Alfred C. Smith of Brownsville Receives $2,500 Verdict From Centerville Borough.

Dr. Alfred C. Smith of Brownsville in his suit against the borough of Centerville, was awarded $2,500 damages. The case was given to the jury Thursday afternoon late and an agreement was reached about 7:30 o'clock. The sealed verdict was opened when court was convened Friday.

With the taking of this verdict the jurors were excused until Monday next at 1 o'clock.

Dr. Smith was injured on February 26, 1912, when his automobile went off the Fredericktown road in Centerville borough. The road was rough and slippery and the car went off at a point where water had flowed across the road from a watering trough. The borough endeavored to show that the accident was due to the breaking of the steering gear of the machine and not on account of the road.

NEW CARS FOR CHARLEROI LINE

The Pittsburg Railways company has awarded contracts for the construction of 190 new steel trolley cars to cost $1,100,000 and of the number 15 of a late type will be divided upon between the Charleroi and Washington lines.

The cars will be completed next spring and summer and all will be of the most modern in design and construction yet built. The cars for the interurban Charleroi and Washington divisions will be built in Philadelphia. They will be constructed on the low floor principle. Each will be 52 feet long, the same length as the present Charleroi and Washington cars and it is possible may be equipped with an observation platform in the rear. They will be of what is known as the 5600 type and will seat 72 persons.

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BASKETBALL MONDAY AT ST. JEROME'S LYCEUM

On Monday the first game of the season at St. Jerome's Lyceum will be played, when Monongahela will be here. Charleroi has a good team.

The Charleroi Symphony orchestra forty members under Jean DeBacker at High school auditorium Monday evening Dec. 13, assisted by Miss Vera Kaign, soprano and Miss May Barth accompanist. 146-t1—*

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FIRE INSPECTION MADE OF SCHOOLS

Deputy Factory Inspectors Here and Find Buildings in Good Shape.

GOOD TIME IN FIRE DRILLS

A thorough inspection of the Charleroi schools was made Friday by James R. Patterson of Beaver Falls and James McCuskey of Washington, state factory inspectors. The schools were found to be in generally good condition. Fire drills held while they were here proved wonderful.

Accompanied by Fire Chief J. M. Fleming, Superintendent T. L. Pollock and R. C. Mgmtser and Dr. T. M. Faddis of the school board building committee, Inspectors Patterson and McCuskey visited in turn each of the schools. Complete inspections of every item in the way of fire protection were made and suggestions given for improvement. Among other things in one or two of the buildings, handrails on stairways were ordered erected.

In the fire drills, which were given without the least preparation or without the least notice being given to teachers or pupils, the very best time was made. The time in which the schools were emptied and the number of pupils to each school were as follows: High school building, 450 pupils, two minutes; Firth street building, 600 pupils, one minute; Ninth street building, 585 pupils, one minute; Second street building, 347 pupils, one minute; Crest avenue building, 374 pupils, one minute.

Basements of schools were found to be in good condition and janitors were complimented.

In addition to making their school inspections the state men made a tour of several stores and theatres. It is expected they will return at a later date.

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FRANCES WILLARD CLASS WILL HOLD BAZAAR

The Frances Willard class of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a bazaar Saturday December 11, 1915, afternoon and evening in the hardware store of Harry Frye of Fallowfield avenue. 146-t1-p—*

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The Ladies Sewing Circle of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a bazaar and bake sale in Crowley building, Fourth and McKean, December 9, 10, and 11. 146-t1—*

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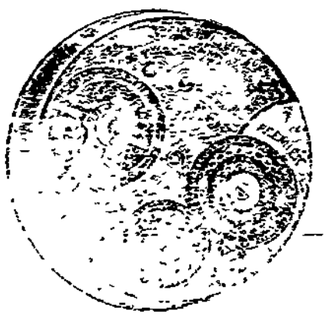

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THE GAME AND THE CANDLE

Sixteen boys lost their lives on the football field of the United States during the season just completed. Yet of the sixteen only three [illegible] football. Captain Scott [illegible] Kansas college team [illegible] Washington Reporter.

The thirteen other boys who died as a result of injuries received on the football field were members of high school and free lance elevens. They had not been examined for physical defects before participating in the game.

No game involving violent physical contact can be made safe by lads with unsound hearts or weak blood vessels; and the deaths of the unexamined boys are to be blamed on the carelessness of their parents and schoolmasters rather than on defects in the football rules.

The new rules have cut down the lists of casualties from thirty in 1909 and twenty-two in 1910 to eleven in 1911, ten in 1912, fourteen in 1913, twelve in 1914 and sixteen in 1915.

Today the game is reasonably safe for men who have been trained to withstand the shocks it entails. Yet owing to natural human carelessness, football seasons will doubtless continue to be marred by ten or twelve deaths.

But football is cheap at the price it trains boys in courage and cooperation as does no other game. It supplies an outlet for the combative instinct, which finds too few opportunities for satisfaction [illegible] civilization.

If football costs a few lives, it claims many. The game is worth the candle.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY REMEMBERED BY FRIENDS

A surprise [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. R. J. [illegible] avenue on the seventh anniversary of their marriage Friday evening. They received many beautiful presents. Among [illegible] were 50 roses presented by the Young Ladies Circle of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church. Refreshments were served as the guests.

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PERSONALS

Home [illegible] Washington [illegible] Saturday [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Whitehead, Prospect avenue.

Miss Josie [illegible] for Pennsylvania [illegible] a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wolfe went to Donora Sunday to visit with friends.

Miss Ira Kline [illegible] at Pittsburg for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mikesell of McKean avenue have gone to Monaca to visit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whitehead of Carrick are visiting with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Whitehead of Prospect avenue.

Miss Mary Latchem of Roscoe was a visitor with friends here Friday and attended the high school Athenaem Literary society meeting.

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FRANCES WILLARD CLASS LAYS PLANS FOR THEIR ANNUAL BAZAAR

The Frances Willard class of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school held a meeting with Miss T. L. Pollock, president of the class, at her home on Meadow avenue Friday evening and laid plans for the annual bazaar of the class which will be held [illegible] Hardware store. A business meeting was held at the [illegible] Mrs. Pollock served lunch.

MRS. VAN VOORHIS ENTERTAINS AT MEETING OF ATHENE CLUB

Mrs. Charles S. VanVoorhis was hostess to the members of the Athene club at the meeting held Friday afternoon, at her home on [illegible] to Mrs. P. P. McCloskey, the subject being "Pennsylvania Laws Concerning Women." The general theme of the meeting was "Pennsylvania."

Notice

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of Bank of Charleroi for the election of eleven (11) directors to serve for the ensuing year, or until their successors are elected and qualified and for the transaction of any other business that may come before them will be held on Thursday, January 6, 1916, between the hours of [illegible] and three o'clock p. m. at its banking house.

Kerfoot W. Daly, Cashier.
Dec4-18

Eckles' Funeral Sunday.

The funeral of Aloert i Eckles will be held Sunday, with services at 12:30 o'clock at the late home in Donora. The body will be taken by special car from Donora to Monongahela where interment will be

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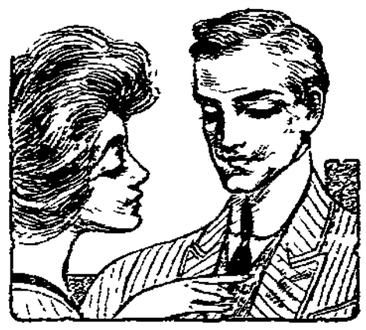

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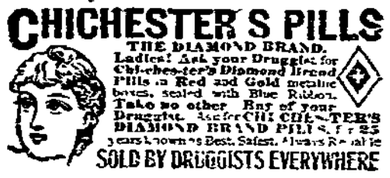

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Beginning at a White Oak; thence by lands of Richard Sphar, North 43 degrees East 41 perches to a small Walnut Bush; thence by lands of Lot Winnett, North 55 degrees West, 150 perches to a stone; thence by land of John Carson, South 32 degrees West, 57 perches to a stake; thence South 61 1-2 degrees West 162 rods to the place of beginning, containing 46 acres (to be) the same more or less, strict measure.

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Kerfoot W. Daly,
Trustee.
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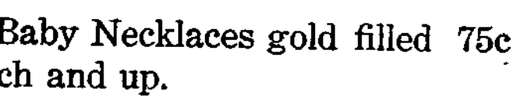

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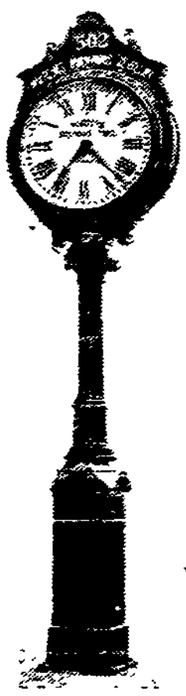

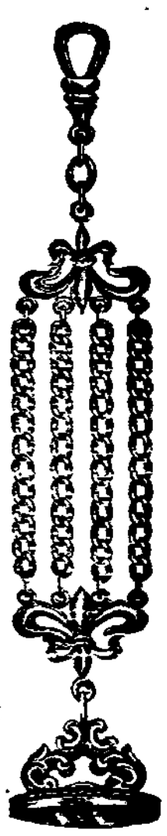

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ORCHARD DEMONSTRATION TO BE GIVEN THURSDAY

Dr. J. K. Smnth is arranging for an orchard demonstration to be held on his orchard by state orchadists Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Orchadists who heretofore have not appeared here will be present, as well as ones old in the service. The demonstration will be one of the usual nature held under the auspices and by a state department.

A. H. BOSSON TO DIRECT CHOIR GIVING CANTATA

Under direction of A. H. Bosson, the choir of the Methodist Episcopal church, augmented by a few well known outside singers is preparing a Christmas cantata for rendition within a week or two. The title of the cantata is "In Excelsis," and is a work of Lincoln Hall. It is rich in harmony and really one of the best cantatas from a musical point of view that has been attempted in Charleroi for a long time. Director Bosson is anticipating giving the cantata with orchestra accompaniment and to that end as well as to the preparation of his choir frequent rehearsals are being held.

Black Ostrich Pon Pon, $1.50 and $2.00, now 75 cents at Spidell's. 144-t3

AMONG CHURCHES TOMORROW

St. Jerome's Church

Early mass 7:30. Children's mass 9, followed by Sunday school. High mass at 11. Baptism 1. Young Ladies sodality at 7. Vesper and benediction at 7:30.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship 11. Sermon by the pastor. Junior C. E. at 2:30. Senior C. E. at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by the pastor. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30. Strangers in town and persons without a church home are assured of a hearty welcome at the services. A. J. Whipkey pastor.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian

Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon "A Book of Remembrance." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Leader, Miss Ila Campbell. Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Golden Fruit From the Prayer Life." Leader, Miss Lulu Buffie. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon, "Real Greatness in Obscure Places." Strangers and those without a church home are cordially invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

Baptist

Bible school at 9:45. Election of officers. Worship at 11. The Lord's Supper will be celebrated. Young People's meeting at 6:30. "Golden Fruit from the Prayer Life." Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic, "The Withered Hand Stretch it Forth." Strangers welcome at all services. W. G. Carl, minister.

Episcopal.

St. Mary's church, Lookout avenue and Sixth street. Services for second Sunday in Advent as follows: School 9:45. Holy communion with sermon at 11. Even song with sermon at 7:30. The Altar Guild meets Thursday evening at 7:30.

First Christian.

Fallowfield avenue near Sixth street. Bible school at 9:45. Lord's supper and preaching at 10:50. Subject, "Our Inheritance." Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 Subject, "Fruit of the Prayer ife." Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "Tobitha." This service will be held under the auspices of the local auxiliary of the C. W. B. M. Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:30. Strangers to our city and those without a church home are cordially invited to the services of our downtown church. This is the peoples' church. You are welcome. Come. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

Methodist

"The Superman" is the subject for Sunday morning at 10:45. The pastor will discuss the question. "Is Nietzsche or Jesus Right?" At 7:30 the sermon topic is the last of series on "One of the Boys." "The Big Boy Who Spilled His Father's Cup of Happiness." Sunday school at 9:30.. Jr. Epworth League at 2:30. Epworth Leagueat 6:30. Dr. Wesley G. Mead, minister.